1	be included as part of this April 5 letter?
2	A I couldn't definitively say, no.
3	Q Now, given that the document itself appears to
4	bear a signature of December 10, 1997, would that have any
5	impact whatsoever, in your estimation, on the 'yes' answer
6	that was provided to the Federal Communications Commission
7	in response to the directive on August 1, 1997 when the
8	subject license renewal application was filed, did the KALW
9	Public Inspection File contain all of the Ownership Report
10	and supplemental reports required to be kept by then Section
11	73.3527?
12	A My understanding would be that it was there but
13	when they looked and that's what Jeff Ramirez signed,
14	when he signed on August 1st, and when he went back in to
15	look for it, he couldn't find it, after the license
16	challenge. And so it was
17	Q So, a supplemental report came to be prepared
18	A that he believed was there.
19	Q I see. Would you agree with me that in order for
20	the 'yes' answer to have been completely accurate, that on
21	August 1, 1997 there should have been, in the Public
22	Inspection File a 1995 Ownership Report that bore a date

24 A Yes.

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somewhere in 1995?

25 Q Do you have any knowledge, one way or the other,

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1	as to whether such a report was ever prepared in 1995?
2	A Not to my memory.
3	Q Do you recall there being any discussion on or
4	around April 5, 2001, as to why there was no 1995 Ownership
5	Report that bore a date in 1995?
6	A What we, when we couldn't find something that we
7	had assumed was there, we basically were kicking there
8	was basically a, you know, the fact that this file had been
9	in an open drawer in an open office came, that was what we
10	talked about, that I recall having that conversation.
11	Q You had that conversation with Nicole?
12	A Yes.
13	Q And was anybody else involved in that conversation
14	besides yourself and Nicole?
15	A No. I think out of that conversation, you know,
16	the Public File was moved into her office.
17	Q In order to minimize the possibility of documents
18	simply wandering away?
19	A Correct.
20	Q Do you have any recollection whatsoever of being
21	involved in the preparation of a 1995 Ownership Report in
22	December of 1997?

December of 1997 regarding the absence of a 1995 Ownership

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I don't recall putting that together in 1997.

Do you recall any conversations that took place in

- 1 Report and the need to prepare a replacement of some kind?
- 2 A I don't recall a conversation other than it came
- 3 up certainly in the challenge, and out of that charge from
- 4 the Golden Gate Public Radio the Inspection File was looked
- 5 at.
- 6 Q If I remember correctly from your testimony, in
- 7 terms of looking at the Public File, you personally did not
- 8 look at the Public File until March, February, March, April
- 9 of 2001, is that correct?
- 10 A Correct.
- 11 Q And when you just referenced somebody looking at
- the Public File in connection with the challenge that was
- made back in November of 1997, do you have any knowledge as
- 14 to who it was who would have looked at the Public File at
- 15 that point?
- 16 A It would have been Jeff Ramirez is my assumption.
- I mean I couldn't picture anybody other than Jeff being the
- 18 one.
- 19 Q But you didn't in November or December of 1997 or
- January of 1998, that time frame, did you look at the Public
- 21 File?
- 22 A No.
- 23 O And other than Jeff Ramirez, do you have any
- 24 knowledge as to anybody who did look at the Public File for
- 25 purposes of responding or concerning themselves with the

- 1 challenge that had been made in November of 1997?
- 2 A I don't have any recollection of anyone else.
- 3 Q And given what you've told us in terms of who had
- 4 responsibility for maintaining the Public File, that is the
- 5 General Manager, that it certainly would have made sense for
- 6 Mr. Ramirez to be te one to have looked in the Public File
- 7 at that time to determine the accuracy of the charges that
- 8 had been made by Golden Gate Public Radio?
- 9 A I would say so, yes.
- 10 MR. SHOOK: Okay. We can move on to question two.
- 11 (Off the record at 12:37 p.m.)
- 12 (On the record at 12:29 p.m.)
- 13 MR. SHOOK: On the record.
- 14 BY MR. SHOOK:
- 15 Q Okay. Mr. Helgeson, counsel for SFUSD has just
- read to you at least the first portion of the response with
- 17 respect to directive two, which was to the effect or which
- reads, 'On August 1, 1997 did the KALW FM Public Inspection
- 19 File contain all of the Issues/Program Lists required by
- then Section 73.3527?' And the response that SFUSD starts,
- 21 'Yes' and then it goes on from there, and we'll talk about
- 22 that.
- 23 A Okay.
- Q But, in terms of the 'yes' response, were you the
- 25 person who determined that the response should be yes?

- 1 A No, I wasn't.
- 2 Q Do you know who was?
- 3 A I can only assume that it was Jeff Ramirez.
- 4 Q Well, okay, let me try to clarify what I'm asking
- 5 about here. We're talking now about the April 5, 2001
- 6 letter that is going to the Federal Communications
- 7 Commission, and the Commission has asked a question,
- 8 Commission staff has asked a question, or a direct, made a
- 9 directive that reads, 'On August 1, 1997 did the KALW FM
- 10 Public Inspection File contain all of the Issues/Program
- 11 Lists required by then Section 73.3527?' And the response
- that SFUSD gives to this directive is, 'Yes', and then it
- 13 goes on from there. Now, in terms of the 'yes' response
- 14 that is made in April of 2001, are you the person who is
- 15 responding yes?
- 16 A In April of 2001, I would not have been the
- 17 person, Nicole Sawaya would have been the General Manager at
- 18 that point.
- 19 Q Just for your information, and I think counsel for
- 20 SFUSD would verify this, there is no declaration from Nicole
- 21 Sawaya as a part of this April 5, 2001 letter.
- 22 A Okay.
- 23 O The declaration that says that the factual
- 24 information in this letter is true and correct is from you.
- 25 A Okay.

- 1 Q So, with that in mind, are you the person
- 2 answering yes?
- 3 A Yes.
- 4 Q And do you believe that response to be accurate?
- 5 A I believe the response to be accurate.
- 6 Q Even though you have also told us that when you
- 7 looked through the Public File, in preparation for preparing
- 8 a response to the FCC's letter, that you found that there
- 9 were documents that were missing, you found that there were
- 10 documents that should have been there but weren't. I mean
- 11 did I mis-hear what you told me before?
- 12 A Do I -- yeah, I want to -- what is the 'yes' that
- 13 I'm saying 'yes' to? Yes I agree that what Jeff Ramirez
- 14 said in August 1997 --
- Okay. I'll go over it again, I'll go over it
- 16 again, okay.
- 17 A Yeah.
- 18 Q It's just a yes/no question.
- 19 A Right.
- 20 When you go back in time to August 1, 1997, did
- 21 the Public Inspection File contain the Issues/Programs Lists
- 22 that were required?
- 23 A The document that we filed, the district filed --
- 24 Q Listen to my question.
- 25 A Okay.

- 1 Q On August 1, 1997, did the file, did the Public
- 2 Inspection File contain the Issues/Programs Lists that were
- 3 required?
- 4 A I don't -- I didn't have knowledge of that on
- 5 August 1st 1997.
- 6 Q Okay. So, let's just say hypothetically that the
- 7 directive gives you an opportunity to really answer one of
- 8 three ways?
- 9 A Okay.
- 10 O The first is yes, the second is no, and the third
- is I don't know?
- 12 A The answer is I don't know.
- 2 So, on April 5, 2001, the response that should
- have come from SFUSD is I don't know or we don't know?
- 15 A Personally I didn't know. I saw what Jeff had --
- I was backing up what Jeff had signed, based on what Jeff
- 17 had said on August 1st, his declaration.
- 18 Q And by that you mean the box that he checked for
- 19 the application?
- 20 A Yes, if he said it was there, I'm taking Jeff's
- 21 word for it.
- 22 O I see.
- 23 A I based my 'yes' on his 'yes'.
- Q Okay. Not on a personal review that could verify,
- 25 to your satisfaction, that the documents that were supposed

- to be there were in fact there?
- 2 A True.
- 3 Q I mean when you looked, you determined that
- 4 documents were missing?
- 5 A When I looked.
- 6 Q Just before the response to this letter was
- 7 prepared?
- A If I saw something missing then we took care of
- 9 that. But as of August 1st, anything that we said by August
- 10 1st, my 'yes' is based on Jeff's 'yes'.
- 11 Q I see.
- 12 A Not on a personal review of the file on August 1,
- 13 1997.
- 14 Q And in order to confirm this 'yes' answer that was
- made to the Commission in April 2001, did you talk to Jeff
- Ramirez as to whether or not the Public Inspection File did
- in fact include all of the required documents in August of
- 18 1997?
- 19 A No, I didn't.
- 20 Q Do you know of anyone who did?
- 21 A No, I don't.
- 22 O Now, the very -- as we read through the response
- following the 'yes', the last sentence of the first
- 24 paragraph of that response reads, 'Furthermore, according to
- 25 information in the files of KALW's counsel, KALW's station

- 1 management again reviewed the Public Inspection Files in
- January of 1998 and reported to counsel at that time that
- 3 the files were in order in accordance with a Public File
- 4 review check sheet published by the National Public Radio
- for use by its members (a copy of which is enclosed).' In
- 6 connection with that statement, are you the station
- 7 management that reviewed the Public Inspection Files in
- 8 January 1998?
- 9 A No, I wasn't.
- 10 Q Do you know who was the station management who
- 11 reviewed the Public Inspection Files in January 1998 -- I
- 12 said 1988 initially, I meant 1998, I'm sorry?
- 13 A 1998, okay. I can only --
- 14 Q If you don't know, that's perfectly acceptable to
- 15 say you don't know?
- 16 A I don't know.
- 17 Q But, you are not the station management referred
- 18 to here?
- 19 A No. I wasn't.
- 20 Q Now, the first sentence of the next paragraph,
- 21 which begins at the bottom of page five and carries over to
- 22 page six of the letter reads, 'However, when KALW's present
- 23 management reviewed the Issues/Program List file for the
- 24 period in question, in connection making', there's a word
- 25 missing, 'in connection making its response to the bureau's

- 1 inquiry letter, they did not find, for each and every
- 2 quarter during that period, specifically prepared lists with
- 3 respect to all locally produced programs but only the
- 4 nationally produced NPR Issues/Program Lists.' In terms of
- 5 the present management that is referred to there, are you
- 6 the present management?
- 7 A I believe that I and Nicole were the present
- 8 management. This letter was in response, it kind of covers
- 9 that period from the time of the February 5th letter to this
- 10 time, that roughly 60 days there was kind of the transition
- 11 from me being acting Station Manager to her being Manager.
- 12 So. I can only assume that on April 5th they were assuming
- me and Nicole, but that's my assumption.
- Q Well, would there be anybody other than you and
- 15 Nicole Sawaya as present management?
- A At that point, no, that would have been present
- 17 management.
- 18 Q And considering that the only declaration that
- 19 accompanies this letter is from you, certainly you'd be one
- of the present management that's referenced there?
- 21 A True.
- 22 Q Now, this sentence seems to make a distinction
- 23 between locally produced programs and nationally produced
- 24 NPR Issues/Program List. Could you enlighten us as to what
- 25 it is that is being referred to there, what is the

- 2 A Well, locally produced programs were programs that
- 3 were generated out of KALW studios, and NPR refers to
- 4 National Public Radio, and National Public Radio makes
- 5 available to its member stations issues, quarter issues,
- 6 reports on issues that its programs, that it provides, its
- 7 national shows it provides to its stations, descriptions of
- 8 issues that are covered.
- 9 O Now, there is some material that is included as an
- 10 attachment to this letter, and we're going to go off so that
- 11 counsel can show you that material and we can determine
- what's being referred to in the response to the letter, in
- 13 the body of the letter.
- 14 A Okay.
- 15 (Off the record a6t 12:52 p.m.)
- 16 (On the record at 1:00 p.m.)
- MR. SHOOK: Back on the record.
- 18 BY MR. SHOOK:
- 19 O First off, with respect to the KALW Program Guide
- 20 for April, May and June of 1997, when you looked in the KALW
- 21 Public Inspection File in February or March, or April,
- 22 whenever it was that you looked at it for purposes of
- 23 determining what was there, did you find Program Guides such
- 24 as the one that was included as an attachment to the April 5
- 25 letter to the Commission in the Public Inspection File?

- 1 A I did find some.
- 2 Q Some, meaning what?
- 3 A Some meaning I believe there were gaps where there
- 4 should have been one. I don't -- when I went through I
- don't recall saying, ah ha, gee, we have a complete set
- 6 here, that wasn't my -- that we should, to the best of our
- 7 knowledge find, if we needed to put one in there we would,
- 8 but I don't recall from what date they weren't there, if it
- 9 was -- so to the best of our knowledge we weren't able to
- 10 complete everything. I think for instance the period of
- 11 1990 or 1991, we don't have anything in there.
- Q Well, in terms of a Program Guide, just help me to
- make sure I understand exactly what I'm looking at. The
- 14 Program Guide covers three months worth of proposed
- 15 programming on the KALW?
- 16 A Well, it's printed before it happens, yeah. It
- 17 happened, yeah.
- 18 O Right.
- 19 A I mean that's our schedule, yeah.
- 20 Q As a lawyer I get to be hyper-technical on
- 21 occasion and this is one of those occasions.
- 22 A Okay.
- 23 Q I mean the Program Guide talks about what is going
- to be broadcast, does it not?
- 25 A Yes.

1 0 Now, I'm willing to grant that in most instances what you have scheduled to broadcast actually broadcasts, 2 that would be your experience? Α Yes. 5 Q And in terms of information in a Program Guide that says, you know, on Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. on whatever it 6 7 is, April blah, blah 1997, we're going to have a conversation with so and so about issue X, and that 8 9 generally such a thing happens, does it not? 10 Α Yes. But, there's always the possibility that it won't 11 Q 12 happen? Α Yes. 1.3 Q Because so and so doesn't show up or so and so 14 gets sick, or so and so, or there's a technical problem at 15 the radio station and it just doesn't happen that night? 16 17 Α Sure. So, what we're talking about here is the 18 difference between something that you proposed to broadcast 19 as opposed to a listing of things that you actually did 20 broadcast? 21

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- 2 Q Now, can you tell us what AIDS Update was, was
- 3 that a regular program of some kind?
- 4 A Yes, it was a regular weekly 15 minute radio
- 5 program produced to this day at the studios of KALW. It
- 6 generally is a taped 15 minutes, approximately 15 minute
- 7 interview between the host, who generally was Alan Farley,
- 8 and a guest who had a topic related to HIV and AIDS.
- 9 Q So, the particular list that was included in the
- 10 April 5 letter that contains, under the column 'Air Date' a
- series of dates that appear to be spaced one to two weeks
- apart, presumably would be the date that this particular
- 13 program aired?
- 14 A Yes.
- 15 Q And then under 'First name, last name' those
- 16 columns would reflect the guests that appeared?
- 17 A Yes.
- 18 O And the position under the column 'position', that
- 19 would be I guess the title that that person held in whatever
- 20 organization they worked with?
- 21 A Yes.
- 22 Q And then next is the organization itself. For
- example, for the first row at 4/4/97, Jeff Deluccio Brock,
- 24 Media Relations Associate for SF AIDS Foundation. I guess
- 25 SF AIDS Foundation is the organization that he's associated

- 1 with?
- A Yes. That's how I would read this.
- 3 Q And then under miscellaneous it says, 'With Ken
- 4 Shigamatsu, HIV Resource Guide', and then there's something
- 5 that appears to be blotted out. I guess what does that
- 6 mean?
- 7 A That would probably be some, if there was a second
- 8 guest on the show, I would read that as on that particular
- 9 date this was a second person who was also part of the
- 10 interview.
- 11 Q I see. And then under the last column, it's kind
- of hard to read what that is supposed to be but, the
- initials AF would refer to the person that you said was the
- 14 host of the program?
- 15 A Alan Farley.
- 16 O Now, this list or this document covers a period
- 17 that begins April 4, 1997 and ends June 20, 1997. Do you
- 18 have any knowledge as to when the document that we are
- 19 looking at was actually generated?
- 20 A I don't have that information.
- 21 Q And looking at the document, there's nothing that
- I can see on it but perhaps there's something you may know
- 23 that would tell you when this document was generated?
- 24 A Nothing that I can see. It looks like it might
- 25 have been generated on a spread sheet of some kind, computer

- spread sheet. I don't see any.
- Q Did you have any role in generating this document?
- 3 A No.
- 4 Q When you looked in the Public File in February,
- 5 March, April of 2001, was this a document that you found in
- 6 the KALW Public File or was this one that was placed in the
- 7 file at that time?
- 8 A This particular piece of paper I can't recall. I
- 9 can't honestly recall this particular piece of paper.
- 10 Q Now, moving on to the next document which is the
- 11 document pertaining to City Visions, the document has a
- number of markings on it and a number of typed, some typed
- information on it. It includes both Spring 1997 and Summer
- 14 1997, and under Summer 1997 it begins 7/7/97 and it goes
- through 10/6/97, which would certainly suggest that this
- document was prepared sometime after October 6, 1997. You
- 17 would agree with that?
- 18 A Yes.
- 19 Q And in fact, when you go to the second row of
- information, first you see the name John Cobell and then
- 21 next you see a telephone number which I would presume is the
- 22 telephone number of the radio station. And then after that
- there appears a date of 10/24/97.
- 24 A Okay.
- 25 Q Would it be your understanding that the document

- that we're looking at was generated on or about October 24,
- 2 1997?
- A A facsimile of this document was generated on
- 4 October 24, 1997, it appears to me that this would be a fax
- of a document, but yes, I would say this document was
- 6 generated on, what did we say on the fax, 10/24?
- 7 Q Right.
- 8 A Yes.
- 9 Q Do you recall whether or not this particular
- document was in fact in the station Public File when you
- 11 were reviewing the Public File contents in February, March
- 12 or April of 2001?
- 13 A I don't specifically recall this piece of paper.
- 14 Q Now, in terms of the Quarterly Issues/Programs
- 15 Listing where it deals with Issues/Programs from National
- 16 Public Radio programs, apparently it consists of 12 pages?
- 17 A Yes.
- MS. REPP: Can I take this out?
- MR. SHOOK: Yes, please, help me.
- 20 THE WITNESS: Okay.
- 21 BY MR. SHOOK:
- 22 O And on the first page, when you look underneath
- 23 the fax information that appears at the very top line, the
- 24 second line, in very small print reads, 'Quarterly
- 25 Issues/Program List Quarter 1 1997", and then when you go to

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1	AFTERNOON SESSION
2	MR. SHOOK: Go back on.
3	(On the record at 2:09 pm.)
4	EXAMINATION RESUMED
5	BY MR. SHOOK:
6	Q When we left off, Mr. Helgeson, we were focusing
7	on page six of the April 5, 2001 letter. And I would ask
8	counsel for SFUSD to refer to that page.
9	MS. REPP: Page six?
10	MR. SHOOK: Yes.
11	MS. REPP: Okay. Do you want me to
12	MR. SHOOK: We're going to move on to the next
13	question or directive.
14	BY MR. SHOOK:
15	Q And it appears in the middle of page six, and it
16	reads, 'Issues/Programs List/Second Inquiry, did any lists
17	that were in the file contain information required by
18	Section 73.3527?' The response reads, 'SFUSD and the
19	present management of KALW FM believe that its
20	Issues/Program List file contained all information required
21	by then Section 73.3527, but as stated above cannot
22	presently account for a limited number of lists of
23	significant issues that were treated in locally produced
24	programs.' When the response refers to the present
25	management of KALW FM, is that present management you?
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- A In April, I believe it's just me, it may be me and
  Nicole Sawaya who was Station Manager at that time. I don't
- 3 know, in this letter, when they say current management, who
- 4 they, you know, if it was -- what distinction was being
- 5 made.
- 6 Q Well, again referring to the declaration that was
- 7 supplied with the letter, considering that the only
- 8 declaration that we're aware of was from you, we're working
- 9 on the assumption that you were the present management
- 10 referred to?
- 11 A Okay.
- 12 Q Would that be consistent with your understanding?
- 13 A My understanding is that in April Nicole Sawaya
- 14 was the General Manager of the station. So, in April they
- 15 were saying current management, my assumption was that it
- 16 was her and I or her. I know that there is, you know, I
- 17 understand what you said that I'm the only one that has a
- 18 declaration in here.
- 19 O All right. So, either it is Nicole Sawaya or you,
- 20 or both of you?
- 21 A Uh-hum.
- 22 Q That would be a yes?
- 23 A Yes.
- 24 Q Now, moving on, the next paragraph under
- 25 'Details', I'll read it out loud and then I'll focus on the

1	sentence	that	I	want	you	to	focus	on.	'A	very	large	number
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- of KALW's locally produced programs contained significant
- 3 treatments of issues of importance in the San Francisco
- 4 community, series such as City Visions, which explores
- 5 issues relating to health care, the environment, the economy
- 6 and government in the Bay Area, Your Legal Rights, AIDS
- 7 Update and Outright Radio, as well as many individual public
- 8 affairs and documentary programs, including the Board of
- 9 Education meetings which are broadcast live, provide
- 10 significant treatment of public issues of great importance
- to the community, including but not limited to the public
- 12 education of its children. Likewise, KALW broadcasts a
- 13 number of National Public Radio, NPR, and Public Radio
- 14 International, PRI, programs which, although nationally
- 15 produced and distributed, treat numerous issues that are of
- 16 great significance to the people of San Francisco. Lists
- 17 and other material regarding both categories of programs are
- 18 placed and maintained in KALW's Public File.'
- 19 That statement that I just read, 'Lists and other
- 20 material regarding both categories of programs are placed
- and maintained in KALW's Public File', are you the person
- 22 who is placing those lists in the Public File?
- 23 A On what date?
- Q This would be in April of 2001?
- 25 A In April 2001?

1	Q Yes. Was there anybody else who was placing lists
2	and other material regarding both categories of programs in
3	the KALW Public File?
4	A In April of 2001, no. I was turning, effectively
5	management was being turned over from me to Nicole Sawaya in
6	March 2001, April, that was the transition time.
7	Q Then the next sentence that appears at the top of
8	page seven reads, 'While present management of KALW did not
9	find discrete specifically prepared program lists for every
10	quarter during the period in question, in the format that
11	fits precisely with the language used in then Section
12	73.3527(a)(7), the file, nevertheless, contains and did
13	contain on August 1, 2001", which I presume was supposed to
14	be August 1, 1997, since it's April 2001, so as clairvoyant
15	as we may be
16	A Yes.
17	Q we don't necessarily know what's going to be
18	ahead.
19	A Yeah.
20	Q ' the documentation required by the rule and by
21	form 303's certification.' Now, considering that I had a
22	humorous aside in there, I'd better read that sentence
23	again. 'Thus, while present management of KALW did not find
24	discrete specifically prepared program lists for every

quarter during the period in question, in a format that fits

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- 2 73.3527(a)(7), the file nevertheless contains, and did
- 3 contain on August 1, the documentation required by the rule
- 4 and by form 303 certification.' Are you the person who is
- 5 making the claim that first of all the present management
- 6 did not find discrete specifically prepared program lists
- 7 for every quarter in the period in question, which would
- 8 refer to the license term that ended in December of 1997?
- 9 A We are referring to, we are referring to Jeff
- 10 Ramirez's statement that he made in 1997.
- 11 Q And that is all you're referring to?
- 12 A Yes. And as far as, where it says lacks discrete
- 13 quarterly, yes.
- 14 Q And the assertion that the file nevertheless
- 15 contains and did contain the documentation required by the
- 16 rule and the certification, is based on Mr. Ramirez's
- 17 certification in 1997?
- 18 A Correct.
- 19 O And it's not based on a personal review that you
- 20 made of the file on or about that period?
- A No. It's based on what Jeff said in 1997, we went
- 22 on as true.
- 23 Q The next paragraph, the first sentence reads, 'For
- 24 each quarter of the period in question, the file contains,
- at a minimum, a copy of KALW's Quarterly Program Guide.'

- 1 Now, before we broke for lunch, one of the things that we
- 2 talked about was the KALW Program Guide. And we looked at
- 3 the Program Guide for the period April, May and June of
- 4 1997. And I believe I asked you a question whether there
- 5 was a similar Program Guide for each quarter of the license
- 6 renewal period that was covered by the July 1997
- 7 certification made with the application filed August 1,
- 8 1997. And if I remember correctly, your testimony was to
- 9 the effect that there were a number of quarters where no
- such guide had appeared in the file when you looked at it?
- 11 A I did say that, yes. I don't recall if those
- quides reflected the period we're discussing, 1991 through
- 13 1997 or 1997 through that date in 2001.
- 14 Q Okay, fair enough. Thinking about it again
- though, when you looked at the file in April, March or April
- of -- excuse me -- when you looked at the file in February,
- March or April of 2001, did you find Quarterly Program Guide
- for the license renewal period that would have run from 1991
- 19 to 1997?
- 20 A I can -- given my memory, I cannot honestly state
- 21 absolutely what I remember seeing every single quarter for
- 22 what would be 1991 to 2001, which would have been quite a
- 23 few program guides.
- Q Right. Except that this letter, if you recall
- 25 this letter is focusing on the certification that was made

- 1 August 1, 1997?
- 2 A Right.
- 3 Q And so, you know, at that point the Commission is
- 4 saying, or asking, when that certification was made, what
- 5 was in the Public File. One of the questions here or one of
- 6 the statements being made here is that on August 1, 1997, t
- 7 the least there were program guides in the station's Public
- 8 File for all of the quarters?
- 9 A The only one who, as far as I know, could certify
- 10 to that would be Jeff Ramirez, who actually did certify that
- 11 in August of 1997.
- 12 Q The problem that we have here though is that we're
- now in April of 2001 and the Commission is saying, you know,
- 14 we've got some reason to be concerned about that
- 15 certification, and so what we want is can you tell us what
- was in the file on August 1, 1997. And one of the
- 17 statements that's made, that we just went over, was that at
- 18 the least or at a minimum a copy of the Program Guide for
- 19 all of the quarters that would have been the subject of that
- 20 certification that Mr. Ramirez made were in fact in the
- 21 Public File. And I just want to clarify what your current
- recollection is, when you looked at the Public File, were
- 23 those Quarterly Program Guides there for the period covered
- 24 by the certification?
- 25 A In 2001, when I looked at the Public File,